CHURCH STATISTICS.

Census of the Religious Denominations in Texas.

To the Editor of The Post.

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4. Free Will Baptists	15	- 6.	337	3,300	261
5. Baptists Church of Christ			1,000	.1/150	308
d Printing Baptists	156	91	27,220	391075	4.201
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2 Jews (Liberal)	213	18	25700	182,000	3,529
(Jews)	: (33)	8 .	2,250	182,000	3,3994
Latter Day Saints (reorganized)	12	2.83	3,825	1,500	437
Evangelical Lutheran	385	80	20.810	ZH0.015	14.70
1. Methodist Episcopal	407	3447	78,790	502.835	17,153
2 Methodist Episcopal (Colored)	1138	20%	50,900	221,7310	Thins:
7. African Methodist Episcopal, Zion	158	28	11,500	20020	4.07
4. Protestant Methodists	1,701	1.079	206.178	16,700	3236,047
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8 Methodist Episcopal (Colored)	0.00	276	68,730	145,075	14,600
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4 Presbyterian (South)	242	171	45.161	#127, S(B)	10,774
5. Reformed Synod (South)	- 7	-14	1,650	3,500	189
(Total Presbyterians)	816	146	135,797	7.241.485	37,911
Protestant Episcopal	3299	110	220,120	6224,500	7,007
Salvation Army	18	0.00	X11-111-1	E-1 () × 4 ()	155
Spiritualists			4		(20)
Universalists	15		450	75,9000	2014

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A Battlefield Scene That Ended In a Sweet Sleep.

So long as the fleidpieces of the enemy continued to play on our front we did not mind them, for the fire was so high that everything went over our heads and into the Third brigode in reserve. By and by, however, a battery moved to the left and got a flank fire on the line, and then we realized that one of two things must speed ify happen—the whole brigade must fall back leaving a wide gap in the lines or a regiment would be ordered to charge the guns. Not more than three or four shells had fallen among us when the order came Our regiment changed front and dressed its lines with sin guns beleding shot and shell at us from the ridge half a mile away.

We front to the west and are also on a ridge. Between the two ridges is open ground, with two fences to climb or throw down. There is also a highway running parallel with our lines, and at the base of our ridge is a bash fringed gully which in the spring is a creek. After we have crossed the highway and the fence on the far side we must than up a green slope on which there is not a pays for cover.

CLUBBED WITH A MUSKET.

A Battlefield Scene That Ended In a Sweet

aide we must thish up a green slope on which there is not e en a bush for cover. We know that the guns are supported by infantry, but we have no idea of the num-ber. We had five minutes in which to sur-ver the ground. Then the word came down the lines to alse "one order", and not stonthe lines to take "open order" and not stop to level the fences, and we moved forward. As wedid so a shell killed and wounded six men in Company H, and five seconds later a solid shot killed two or three in Com-

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We were too low for the artillery to reach us now, but lines of men who seemed al-most within reach sucdenly rose up and poured valley after voller of musketry into us as we waited for the laggards to come up and get our lines in some sort of shape for the final effort. One would have thought that that fire would annihilate us, but only one fell here and there. The top rails of the fence were somewhat decayed, and as the bullets struck them the spineters flew in showers. We could not his rith orders, but the lines dressed, a great theer ran from MORTUARY.

Official Report of Deaths in Houston the Past Week.

Following is the official mortuary report for the city of Hauston for the week ending at noon on Saturday, December rs. Cassic Coster. Mrs. Emma Cherry, France Chemes. Mrs. Geo. Conner, Mary Jane Charle, Mrs. McCharles R. Davis, Mrs. Sue Carter, Mrs. Thompson pp.

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Moreomber 2—F Myers, male, white, 59 years; concursion of brain. Micheal Contest, male, white, 29 years; presumenta.

December 2—A McGowan, male, white, 69 years; postmenta. Infant M. Solomon, male, black, still form Mrs. B. S. Woods, female, white, 49 years; consumption.

Documber 27—G. W. Crippun, male, white, 19 years; consumption, of lowels. Sarah J. Sears; consumption of bowels. Sarah J. Sears; consumption of bowels. Sarah J. Sears; preparation of hattle died out within a few seconds, and I was puzzled about it. I remember and I was purzied about it. I remember of thinking there might be a flag of truce and a surrepoint, and I fell like obsering at

It was 10 o'clock at night. I was in the track down at 3 o'clerk and piched up at 7. The blow had rendered me unconscious for seven hours, and 16 was seven hours of the avertest sleep I ever had in my life. A mm lind sensed his musket by the basones, 0.562 Will acres potential to Luke Hernen war.

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3.80 9.00 raised it aloft with both hands and brought it down on my head, and yet he had only

stunned me.
"Did we hold the guns and the hill?" I asked of a wounded man beside me.
"You bet" he cluckled. And then I fell asleep again and dut not awake until morning.

M. Quan.

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instantaneous negatives during a violent storm, when no daylight could penetrate the depths. They are lacking as regards back-ground, but this may be remedied when the apparatus has been parfected. Washall look for some interesting developments in the art of submarine photograpsy—Lon-den Letter.



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